



Senate

General Assembly

File No. 334

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Substitute Senate Bill No. 416

Senate, March 30, 2016

The Committee on Judiciary reported through SEN. COLEMAN of the 2nd Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the Senate, that the substitute bill ought to pass.

AN ACT VALIDATING CERTAIN STIPULATIONS TO EXTENSIONS OF TIME FOR THE CLAIMS COMMISSIONER TO DISPOSE OF A CLAIM.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding the provisions of
2 section 4-159a of the general statutes authorizing parties to a claim
3 who choose to stipulate to an extension of time for the Claims
4 Commissioner to dispose of such claim to so stipulate within two years
5 of the date of filing of such claim or within the period of any previous
6 extension of time stipulated to or granted by the General Assembly, in
7 the case of (1) any claim filed before July 1, 2014, or (2) any claim for
8 which an extension of time expired before July 1, 2016, the parties to
9 any such claim described in subdivision (1) or (2) of this subsection
10 may, not later than January 1, 2017, stipulate to an extension of time,
11 even if such extension is stipulated to (A) two years or more after the
12 date such claim was filed, or (B) after the expiration of the most recent
13 extension previously stipulated to by the parties or granted by the
14 General Assembly. Any such stipulation to an extension of time for the

- 15 Claims Commissioner to dispose of the claim shall cause such claim to
16 be properly before the Claims Commissioner for the period of such
17 extension.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section

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OFA Fiscal Note***State Impact:*** None***Municipal Impact:*** None***Explanation***

The bill, under certain conditions, grants an extension of time for the Claims Commissioner to dispose of claims. This bill will not result in any additional fiscal impact.

The Out Years***State Impact:*** None***Municipal Impact:*** None

OLR Bill Analysis

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SUMMARY:

The Office of Legislative Research does not analyze Special Acts.

COMMITTEE ACTION

Judiciary Committee

Joint Favorable Substitute

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